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Claims

- 1. A system for providing access to stored objects for mobile users, the system **comprising**
- a mobile terminal provided with means for acquiring personal content, the mobile terminal being adapted to be in wireless communication with a telecommunications network,
 - storage means in the mobile terminal, the storage means being adapted to store the personal content acquired,
- at least one remote data repository connected to the tele communications system for storing personal content, whereby at least one of the repositories is assigned for the use of each mobile terminal,
 - means adapted to transfer selected personal content between the remote data repository and the storage means through said telecommunications system, the means to include predetermined criteria, the fulfillment of which initiates said transfer,
 - the mobile terminal further provided with means for accessing stored personal content wherein i) the means are adapted to request an object including stored personal content from the storage means in the mobile terminal, ii) the storage means are adapted to respond with a predetermined return code if the requested object is not located in said storage means, and iii) the means are further arranged to request the object from the remote data repository if the return code indicates that the requested object is not located in said storage means.
- 2. A system according to claim 1, the system further comprising a server connected to said remote data repository, for managing said objects and information extracted and/or generated from said objects, the objects and information being the personal content stored in the remote data repository.
 - 3. A system according to claim 2, the system further compris-

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- means in the server for updating the information related to said object to indicate that the object has been requested by the mobile terminal and

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- means for storing the updated information in the remote data repository.
- 4. A system according to claim 1, the system further **compris- ing** means in the mobile terminal for updating a register of the objects and/or
 extracted data stored at least at one point in time in the mobile terminal storage means.
- 5. A system according to claim 4, wherein said updating includes marking deleted and/or transferred objects and/or extracted data that has been transferred to the remote data repository.
- 6. A method for providing access to stored objects for mobile users, the method **comprising**
- acquiring personal content in the mobile terminal adapted to be in wireless communication with a telecommunications network,
 - storing the personal content acquired in the mobile terminal,
- assigning at least one remote data repository for the use of each mobile terminal, the repository being connected to the telecommunications system for storing personal content,
 - transfering selected personal content between the remote data repository and the mobile terminal through said telecommunications system, the means to include predetermined criteria, the fulfillment of which initiates said transfer,
 - accessing stored personal content from the mobile terminal by i) requesting an object including stored personal content, ii) receiving a predetermined return code if the requested object is not located in the mobile terminal, and iii) further requesting the object from the remote data repository if the return code indicates that the requested object is not located in the mobile terminal.
 - 7. A method according to claim 6, the method further **comprising** the step of connecting a server to said remote data repository for managing objects and information extracted and/or generated from said objects, the objects and information forming the personal content stored in the remote data repository.

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- 8. A method according to claim 7, the method further **compris- ing** the steps of
- updating the information related to said object to indicate that the object has been requested by the mobile terminal and
 - storing the updated information in the remote data repository.
- 9. A method according to claim 6, the method further **compris- ing** the step of subsequently updating a register of the objects and/or extracted data stored in the mobile terminal storage means.
- 10. A method according to claim 9, **wherein** said updating includes marking deleted and/or transferred objects and/or extracted data that has been transferred to the remote data repository.